



*The Peanut*  
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Best of luck  
always to a  
very nice girl!  
Sylvia  
Schein

This belongs to  
our spring

Best of luck  
to you both!  
I've been so excited having  
you as a friend this  
year! "Vaseline"  
Carter

Best of  
everything  
in your  
school life  
lots of success  
Jimmy F.

Best of luck  
to you both  
I hope you  
will have a  
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*Ruth, I'm so sorry that you couldn't take home EC. the book half the year. But of luck to a very nice gift. Glad to.*  
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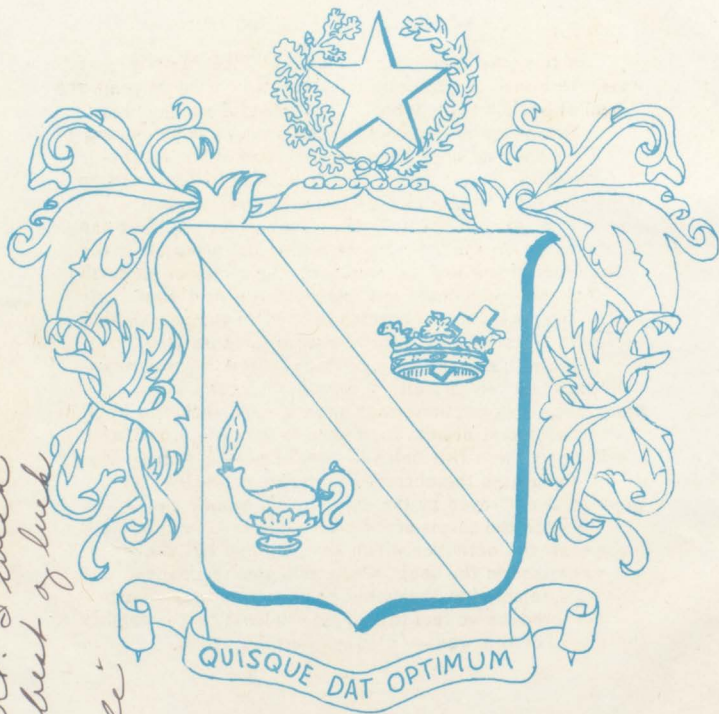
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*Here Ruth, to have nice pictures in your I've enjoyed having & history class with you. Be good and the best of luck. LaBee*

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Loaded  
of love so  
a very sweet  
girl. "Red."



Keith, I think you are  
a swell girl. I wish  
you the best of luck  
always. "Estelle"

## FOREWORD

In this, the twenty-first volume of THE PEANUT, we have the honor of presenting for the first time in print the seal of Suffolk High School. This splendid emblem was drawn up by a school-minded student in the spring of 1942 and has since been declared one of the most beautiful in the state. We hope that in the years to come you may look back with pride on this symbol of all that Suffolk High stands for, all that she means to us, all that she has given us: the lamp of learning, the cross of spiritual development, the crown of leadership.

You may remember with pleasure the part that you played in her development when you see, shining above the shield, the star of progress, whose five points indicate the ways in which Suffolk High strives to grow: socially, morally, spiritually, mentally, and physically. The circumscribed wreath, tied with the knot of friendship, is of oak, representing strength, and laurel, victory in these five fields of progress. The battles fought to surpass the obstacles standing in the way of victory are portrayed by the torn mantle around the shield.

Between the covers of this PEANUT we have tried to include all the activities which have carried out the ideals expressed in the seal. Along with this record five seniors, selected by their class as most outstanding, are featured, as we feel that these students best exemplify the theme of this work—"Quisque Dat Optimum."



# DEDICATION



MR. WILBERT CROCKER

In the years that Mr. Crocker has been with us we have become devoted to a great man and a warm friend. Always quiet, pleasant, unassuming, and modest of his immeasurable store of knowledge, he has patiently taught and helped us, even oftentimes when we proved very trying. His sense of duty, his integrity, and his admirable personality have won the love and respect of all of us. We are humbly grateful for the guidance of this amiable teacher and gentleman, in whose sterling character are molded the high ideals and standards which influence the lives of all of us. It gives us great pleasure to have this opportunity to honor him.

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JAMES FOSTER



## Superintendent



STANLEY T. GODBEY, A.B., M.A.

Since Mr. Godbey came to us in 1939, our school life has been greatly enriched by his achievements. Having developed leadership by taking lessons from one of the best, we are deeply grateful to him for his abiding interest in us and his ready willingness to cooperate in all our undertakings. A graduate of Roanoke College and the University of Virginia, this outstanding educator, in addition to giving us his time, supervises the activities and studies of all Suffolk school pupils.

Nor is this all. Mr. Godbey is a leading worker in our community, holding many important positions. He is affiliated with the American Legion, the Old Dominion Boy Scouts' Association, International Rotary Club, Virginia Committee on Research, the Presbyterian Church, and many other worthy organizations.



## Principal



WILLIAM T. HARRY, A.B., M.A.

We are indeed fortunate in having as our principal one who is so capable an administrator and so wise a counselor. His sympathetic understanding of our problems and his interest in us as individuals have made him a true and valuable friend.

Our enlarged curriculum this year added greater responsibility and work for him, but we feel that he has handled everything with admirable ease. Truly, it must have taken miracles to arrange those complex schedules into such a smooth pattern.

This alumnus of Randolph-Macon and the College of William and Mary is also an active leader in our community, being connected with the Boy Scout Council, the Suffolk Rotary Club, the Tuberculosis Association, and Civilian Defense.

Besides performing the various duties of a principal, Mr. Harry has found time to give to our activities his constant support, to our problems his personal attention, and to us his congenial companionship.

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Of the students, by the students, and for the students—such is the Student Senate at Suffolk High School. Self-government is actually practiced as students conduct their own affairs. Chief among these are sponsoring certain undertakings for the student body, granting charters to new clubs, and making laws by which the students are governed. Those who carry out these duties are representatives, popularly elected by each of the homerooms and honorary members, chosen because of their connection with other important school activities. This body meets regularly to do the essential work of student government.

We feel that there is no better way to train us to become the better citizens of tomorrow than to give us this wonderful opportunity to develop and grow in the midst of a democratic government of our own.



James Foster

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Very closely connected with the Senate is its executive body, the Ways and Means Committee. This committee is appointed by the President of the Senate and is composed of students whose duty it is to oversee the various student activities. They discuss important matters relative to their department and bring recommendations before the Senate.

Although members of this committee are honorary members of the Senate, it is they who really have the trials and tribulations from planning for that body.

The various departments meet regularly with their chairman and their sponsor to carry out their many duties.



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Much of the success of our school is due to the splendid backing we receive from our School Board. The six members of this essential organization meet each month to consider our interests and to solve the problems with which every school is at some time confronted. We appreciate their efforts in our behalf, for it is they who actually see to it that Suffolk High's standards are upheld.



Miss Joyce Jackson

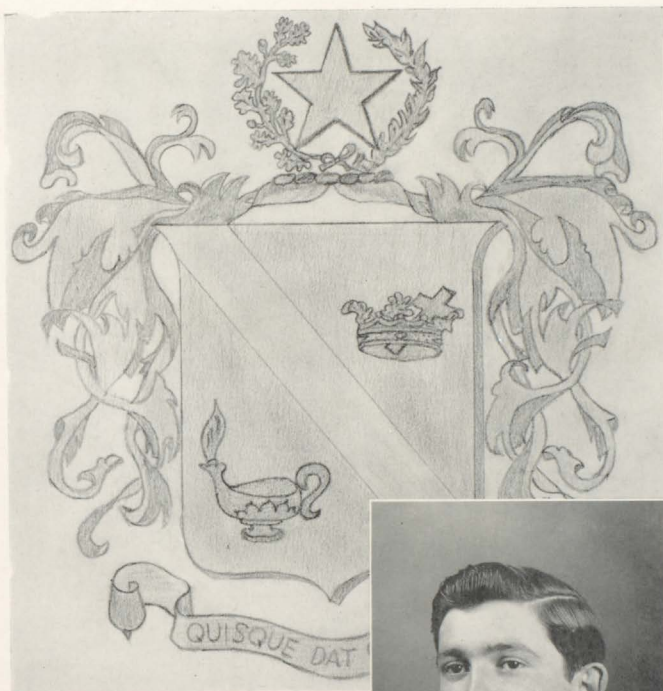
Miss Essie Hurff

### SECRETARIES

We are glad that our Miss Hurff and Miss Jackson are not "just secretaries," but friends who are always ready to help and advise us. Their cheerful efficiency is a great contribution to the friendly atmosphere existing in our school.



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FRANK JONES



## In Memoriam



OMA HERBERT PARKER, JR.

To the memory of Oma Herbert Parker, Jr., who—had not the Lord had need of him—would have graduated this year with honors, we offer this loving, nevertheless, inadequate tribute which was inspired by the magnanimous nature of his character.

We loved him because of his individuality, his pleasing personality, his amiable disposition, and "because he first loved us." We admired him for his natural leadership, his integrity, his exceptional intellect, and his determination of purpose as well as for his athletic abilities and sportsmanship. It is because of these outstanding qualities, among innumerable others, that recollections of him will influence the lives of those who knew and loved him, always.

And as his place among us in life was foremost, so will his memory occupy a foremost place in our hearts, remaining a sacred inspiration and a holy trust to us forever.

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1925-1939

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Left to Right—Whitfield, Bagley, Penn, Brown



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*his' group*  
*Kelly*



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*Secretary and Treasurer*.....Raleigh Privott  
*Senate Representative*.....Margaret Rowe

## MISS LACY'S HOMEROOM

*President*.....Nancy Alberts  
*Vice-President*.....Bobby Saunders  
*Secretary and Treasurer*.....Jean Kelley  
*Senate Representative*.....Richard Rawls

## In Memoriam



FRANK BLANCHARD

Dedicated by the  
Fellow-classmates of

To whom he has left the memory of a quiet and beautiful  
life filled with kind unselfish acts.

## Junior High



### MISS TAPELLE PRUDEN'S HOMEROOM

*President*.....Clyde Green  
*Vice-President*.....Jane Carroll  
*Secretary*.....Nell Harrell  
*Treasurer*.....Tulie Crumpler  
*Senate Representative*.....Mark Culbertson

### MISS ARMISTEAD'S HOMEROOM

*President*.....Holmes Butler  
*Vice-President*.....Charles Tucker  
*Secretary*.....Judith Smith  
*Treasurer*.....Johnson Turner  
*Senate Representative*.....Owen Little

## Junior High



### MISS BELL'S HOMEROOM

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*Vice-President*.....Don Mallette  
*Secretary and Treasurer*.....Carolyn Jones  
*Senate Representative*.....Anne Simpson

### MISS JOHNSON'S HOMEROOM

*President*.....Billy Taylor  
*Vice-President*.....Eddie Pierce  
*Secretary and Treasurer*.....Bob Crocker  
*Senate Representative*.....Sigmund Stein

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HELEN WHITLEY





## A collage of black and white photographs from the 1940s, featuring students in various settings: sitting on bleachers, posing in groups, and in candid shots. A handwritten note "THAT'S ME???" is visible on one of the photos.

## Now and Then



## The Faculty



## With Our Imagination





## Senior Class Roll Of Honor



David  
Darden

Staley Babb  
William Brinkley  
Frank Culpepper  
David Darden  
Mills Everett  
Gordon Haskins  
Lewis Hicks  
William Johnson  
Fred Morgan  
Alice Underwood



William  
Johnson



Lewis Hicks



Mills Everett



Alice Underwood

GRADUATING SENIORS



## Suffolk High Has Gone To War!!!

In this year of 1943 a sober and determined spirit has enveloped all of us with a desire to do our part in the world's struggle for survival. This zeal for action has led us to seek preparation for later duty in the armed services and war industry.

A good school always acts in the interests of its students and represents their wishes; in these respects ours has been one of the best. Even before the advent of war our faculty foresaw the inevitable and stepped up their curriculum for the students' benefit. Throughout these trying times our teachers have been friends and advisers, displaying a genuine interest in our many problems. In helping us to prepare ourselves they are performing a valuable service.

First to be included in the enlarged curriculum was Spanish, a subject that has been requested by many. Looking ahead into the cosmopolitan world of tomorrow and realizing the necessity of Pan-American Cooperation, we can easily see the wisdom behind this step.

Soon after December 7, 1941, First Aid courses were instituted under the direction of competent Red Cross instructors. Eight members of our own faculty qualified themselves for instructing First Aid and over 150 students have passed the Junior, Standard, and Advanced courses. The importance of the knowledge and practice of first aid cannot be over-emphasized, since no one knows when there will appear uninvited Disaster whom War usually insists upon bringing. However, we expect to be calm and help save lives—not to add to the panic and confusion through helpless ignorance.

By careful study and open discussions the Government classes have taught us to become constructive "war" citizens. And equally important, we have learned to analyze news and events, to detect propaganda, and to put rumors in their proper places.

Already having a thorough mathematics department, we needed only to consolidate the rudiments in a refresher course, which was immediately done upon requests of the students. Because of the increased importance of mathematics, graduation requirements now call for two units in this field instead of the former one. The teachers stress especially the math which is needed to help the boys as they go into different branches of the armed forces. These courses have already proved their worth.

In addition to general science, biology, chemistry and physics, Preflight was added this year. The basic fundamentals of aeronautics are taught those who aspire to become members of the air forces. Our school was one of the first to offer this course when the government advised it. With the world's becoming more and more "air-minded," Preflight will probably continue to play its important role in our education long after the war is won.

Another new course, Pre-Induction Shop, was given us for the first time this September. Designed primarily for students destined to enter the armed forces or industry, the classes have accomplished many projects since their organization. Perhaps the most important is the completion of many models of both enemy and allied airplanes. This program was approved by the Army in order to obtain models for "plane-spotters."

To promote physical fitness among us the physical education classes were put on an "all-out" basis. Every day everyone of us went through a regular schedule of calisthenics until finally we were required to pass endurance tests formulated by the state.

Yes, the war curricula, not to mention air-raid and fire drills, first aid detachments, scrap drives, victory book campaigns, salvage "deposits," and war bond and stamp sales, have kept student and teachers alike busy in coordinating our efforts for this war year. Suffolk High School has really gone to war!!

## Senior Personalities

### MOST POPULAR - MOST ATHLETIC



JONES - WHITLEY



PRATT - FOSTER

### BEST DANCERS



HAYES - STEVENS

### BIGGEST FLIRTS



WOODWARD - GRANT

### LAZIEST



HAGAN - CROSS

### CRAZIEST



SPIVEY - STURGEON

### BEST LOOKING



JONES - CUNNINGHAM

### MOST INDUSTRIOUS



SHEFFIELD - WILSON

### CUTIEST COUPLE



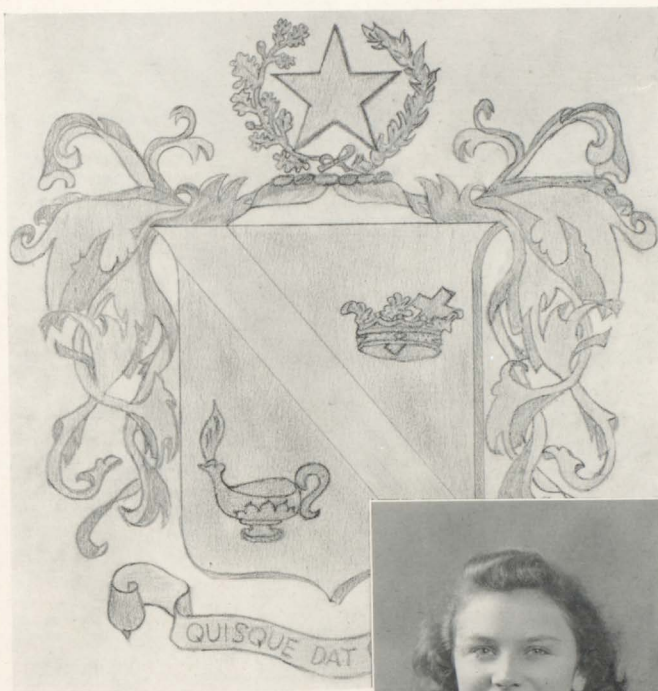
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### BEST ALL ROUND



WHITLEY - FOSTER

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MARGARET SHEFFIELD



# The Peanut

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No one realizes how much work and time goes into making a successful annual—that is, no one with the exception of the 1943 PEANUT Staff.

Planning the theme and outline, writing, rewriting, proof-reading, typing articles, photography, art work, getting "ads," and subscriptions, drawing the "dummy"—all these headaches belong to those who work on this production.

But the staff considers all this worthwhile when the new PEANUT comes off the press and subscribers open their editions with pleased and surprised expressions, and when we leave Suffolk High, then we really appreciate their efforts as this year-book becomes a cherished volume of memories.

Left to Right, First Row—Bailey, Redd, Penn, Sturgeon, Vaughan, Ruden, Lilly, Cunningham, Whitley, Grant, Hancock, McClenny  
 Second Row—Ware, Williams, N. Cross, B. Burchett, Blittner, B. Penn, Everett, Goodrich, Harrell, Godwin, Welch, Miss Brinkley  
 Third Row—Whitefield, Brown, Kozak, J. Burchett, F. Cross, McBride, Andrews, Murden, Williams, Mr. Crocker  
 Fourth Row—Johnson, Wilson, Hayes, J. Grant, Darden, Hines, Work, Ballance, Hines, Sturgeon, Myers, Woodward

## Peanut Picker



Left to Right, First Row—Bell, Murden, McBride, Sheffield, Hancock, Smith, Turner, Schein, Myers, Vaughan, Harrell, Williams  
 Second Row—Hundley, B. Burchett, J. Burchett, Maxey, Godwin, McClenny, Grant, Hancock, Redd, Hanel, Howell, Sturgeon, Everett, Welch, Williams, Ballance  
 Third Row—Hines, Martin, Andrews, Hagan, Godbey, Jones, Collum, Crumpler, Bailey, V. L. Penn, Whitley, Cunningham, Ware, Miss Basler  
 Fourth Row—Johnston, Dixon, Miss Ellett, Washington, Büttner, S. Brown, Cross, Hines, Darden  
 Fifth Row—Lipscomb, Kozak, Wesson, Wilson, Barton, R. Brown, Woodward, Ruden, Lilly, B. Penn, Cathey, Holland, Spivey

### THE STAFF

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Inspirational to all the students who are interested in journalism is working on the *Peanut Picker*. By doing this, future writers learn the fundamentals of newspaper work. All realize and accomplish the three main objectives: to write to the best of one's ability; to get the work in on time; and to attend all staff meetings.

By getting ads every week the business staff makes it possible for us to have this paper, filled with school news and gossip and to see our names in print—at least, once in a while.

We owe these students a great deal of praise for continuing to make the *Peanut Picker* a champion in its class and a real credit to Suffolk High School.



## The Boys' Senior Hi-Y Club

### OFFICERS

<i>President.....</i>	Judson Nixon
<i>Vice-President.....</i>	Delmar Brown
<i>Secretary and Treasurer.....</i>	Frank Cross
<i>Sergeant-at-Arms.....</i>	Bobby Stevens
<i>Sponsor.....</i>	Mr. Charles W. Cockrell

An association valuable to any school that wishes to grow spiritually is the Hi-Y. In our school there are four clubs and the first that we present here is the Senior Boys' Hi-Y, its membership being composed of only juniors and seniors.

This year a requirement of all members has been to attend church services in a body once every month. Their response to this measure was enthusiastic as was also their willingness to help in the scrap drive this fall. In carrying out the year's work, the Boys' Senior Hi-Y contributed to the Cheer Fund at Christmas and sent a delegation to the State Hi-Y Conference in Emporia. Also an attraction in this successful year was the annual fall dance given by these boys at the Coca-Cola plant. Under the sponsorship of Mr. Charles W. Cockrell, this club is really establishing a place for itself in Suffolk High.



Left to Right First Row—Johnson, Martin, Eley, Stevens, Cross, Wills, Tucker, Hudnell, Cathey, Hanel

Second Row—Whitfield, Felton, Thedieck, Nixon, Brett, Jones, Howell

Third Row—Picot, Brown, Foster, Spivey, Holland, Birdsong

## The Girls' Senior Hi-Y Club



### OFFICERS

*President*  
Imogen Murden

*Vice-President*  
Jean Bell

*Recording Secretary*  
Rebecca Williams

*Corresponding Secretary*  
Frances Welch

*Treasurer*  
Nell Cross

*Sponsor*  
Miss Gladys Yates

Left to Right, First Row—McBride,  
D. Williams, R. Williams, Cross,  
Welch, Murden, Bell

Second Row—Maxey, Sheffield, Miss  
Yates, Hagan, McClenny, Whitley,  
Vaughan, Godwin, Sturgeon, Bagley,  
Hundley, Biittner, Britton, Hines,  
Washington, Godbey, Harrell, Babb,  
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Some charitable work is always being carried on by these energetic girls. This year they were kept busy nearly every minute with additional patriotic duties.

For the Red Cross they painted over one hundred fifty report covers in the fall and every Wednesday afternoon they rolled surgical bandages. At Christmas the club provided a needy child with articles of clothing and toys. Also the girls successfully organized a Bicycle Corps in the spring. During rationing registration, every afternoon saw Hi-Y members seizing every chance to be of service by doling out information, ushering, instructing, and registering.

By interesting meetings in which monthly a minister of the city addressed the club on a prominent woman of the Bible and by sponsoring the Bible Study course held every Sunday afternoon at the Christian Church from March 7 through April 8, the Girls' Senior Hi-Y Club really did its part in the spiritual development of students at Suffolk High.

## The Boys' Junior Hi-Y Club

This group of boys chosen from the freshman and sophomore classes work always to improve their school and community. To maintain and extend high standards of Christian living among themselves and others they attended church services in a body once each month. To promote closer cooperation between various Hi-Y groups, the club affiliated itself with the National Hi-Y Council this year and sent delegates to the State Hi-Y conference in Emporia.

In school the Boys' Junior Hi-Y placed boxes for the disposal of tin, tubes, and razor blades, thus aiding the war effort. Also members were very active in the fall scrap drive. In many ways this club has set examples for other young boys to follow. It is in this exemplary capacity that the greatest work of all Hi-Y clubs lies.



### OFFICERS

*President*  
Henry Barton

*Vice-President*  
Harold Barrett

*Secretary*  
Dickie Lipscomb

*Treasurer*  
Harvey Rawls

*Sponsor*  
Mr. Lewis White

Left to Right, First Row—Burchett,  
Barton, Barrett, Rawls, Lipscomb,  
Cohon, Womack

Second Row—Baines, Rawls, Mallette,  
Butler, Dawson, Kirkpatrick, Grace,  
Rawls

Third Row—Collins, Turner, Godwin,  
Saunders, Sturgeon

Fourth Row—Annas, Bell, Mr. White,  
Ballard, Waterfield

## The Girls' Junior Hi-Y Club



Left to Right, First Row—Harrell, Darden, M. S. Alberts, Thedieck, Hines, Hannah, Pierce,  
 Mehalko, Synan  
 Second Row—Grant, Nurney, Rawls, N. Alberts, Byrd, Johnston, Harrell, Kelley  
 Third Row—Vann, Hines, Dixon, Cross, Williams, Lacy, Miss Pruden, Gobbel, Callis,  
 Marshall, Turner

### OFFICERS

<i>President</i> .....	Dotsy Thedieck
<i>Vice-President</i> .....	Margaret Hines
<i>Secretary</i> .....	Alice Hannah
<i>Treasurer</i> .....	Anne Pierce
<i>Sponsor</i> .....	Miss Thelma Pruden

Outstanding on the list of this club's numerous activities for this year are the many ways in which it supported the Red Cross—by contributing money, articles for service men, and report covers.

Complying with war needs, this group collected old hose and cancelled stamps, and worked tirelessly gathering books for the Victory Book Drive. Several times they were called upon to help collect war and health funds. Also they gave aid to the Negro children, making and filling stockings for them at Christmas.

Their meetings have been centered around programs in which various ministers of the city explained the creed and beliefs of their denominations. From these talks the girls received much enlightenment.

From these girls, their faith, and their benevolent work, the spiritual support of Suffolk High was constantly strengthened.

## The Wranglers' Club



Left to Right, First Row—Bell, Hundley, McBride, Sheffield, Whitley, Godwin, Vaughan, Hagan, Murden, Welch, Maxey, Miss Bell  
Second Row—Cross, Howerton, Felton, Benton, Jones, Thedieck, Hudnell, Klein, Woodward

### OFFICERS

<i>President</i> .....	John Woodward
<i>Vice-President</i> .....	Mary Frances Maxey
<i>Secretary</i> .....	Alice Hagan
<i>Treasurer</i> .....	Jean Bell
<i>Sponsor</i> .....	Miss Marguerite Bell

Originally the Wranglers' Club was concerned primarily with debating, speaking and parliamentary law and each member had the aspirations of a young Demosthenes. However, because of many curtailments resulting from the war, all state and local literary contests were postponed for the duration, and so the members turned their attention to the needs of the Red Cross. A representative from each corps of that organization spoke to the club members in an effort to familiarize them with their work, chiefly for the purpose of showing each one where he could best fit in should an emergency arrive.

Outstanding among their activities was the important social event of the year—the George Washington Ball, now a tradition at Suffolk High. The major part of the receipts from this affair was turned over to the Red Cross War Drive Fund.



## The Junior Red Cross Council

Because in time of war the need for the Red Cross Council is greatest, its workers during this grim year were doubly taxed with new responsibilities and activities. Therefore, when the Junior Red Cross reorganized for the twenty-fifth time in September, the delegates from all the homerooms of the school determined to accept their share of the burdens, and they have performed their tasks very capably! The success of the enrollment drive was greatly aided by their radio skit over station WLPN. Another of the many activities sponsored by the Council was the Victory Book Drive in which a house-to-house canvass was conducted.

With the help of the home economics student, numerous articles of clothing were made. For the Council the Girls' Senior Hi-Y Club sponsored the Bicycle Corps. Thus has the Junior Red Cross spent another effectual year in its humane efforts.



### OFFICERS

#### *President*

Frances Welch

#### *Vice-President*

Nell Cross

#### *Secretary and Treasurer*

Sue Brown

#### *Reporter*

Marjorie Harrell

#### *Sponsor*

Miss Elizabeth Johnson

Left to Right—Dail, Holland, Darden,  
Rawls, Newcomb, Haynes, Schein,  
Nurney, Myers

Top to Bottom—Grant, Pratt, Cun-  
ningham, Kitchen, Miss Johnson,  
Harrell, Brown, Cross, Welch

## Playmakers



### OFFICERS

*President*  
Mary Hines  
*Vice-President*  
Virginia Lee Penn  
*Secretary*  
Dorothy Williams  
*Treasurer*  
Ruth Everett  
*Sponsor*  
Miss Margaret Daughtrey

Left to Right, First Row—Welch,  
Hines, Penn, Cross, Harrell,  
Miss Daughtrey

Second Row—Murden, Sturgeon,  
Godwin, Grant, McBride, Williams,  
Sturgeon

Third Row—Hancock, Barrett, Myers

Fourth Row—Bell, Andrews, Burchett,  
Hundley, Cunningham, Everett

Drama truly finds an outlet in this organization which exists to relieve the trials and tribulations of the stage-struck. This club performs a great service by developing self-confidence and the gift of expression in its members.

Although the three one-act plays presented this fall were not sponsored by the Playmakers, much of their success was due to the support of this club. However, "The Perfect Gentleman," which met with the appreciation of all who love to laugh, was the dramatic presentation of the Thespians this spring.

The club received a great loss this year when one of its most prominent and active members, Frances Joyner, left to live in Michigan. It has been difficult without her, but the Playmakers have carried on for another successful year.

## The Glee Club

*Director*.....Miss Edith Taft

The Boys' and Girls' Glee Club make an outstanding contribution to our life at Suffolk High School, and its value cannot be over-estimated. By offering students a chance to express their talents and by giving us fine programs of music, this group developed in the students appreciation of the finer things of life.

Under the capable direction of Miss Taft a double quartet was organized this year, being composed of Agnes Barlowe, Anne Johnson, Anita Godbey, Jacque Martin, Bobby Stevens, Hugh Barrett, Herbert Tucker, and Ted Hanel. The vocal selections presented by them in assemblies were very good and met with the hearty approval of all the students.

We appreciate our Glee Club and the pleasure it gives us.



Left to Right, First Row—Fowler, Holland, Carter, Allison, Barlowe, Harrell, Smith, Williams, Sturgeon, Gray, Johnson, Taylor

Second Row—Kitchen, Goodrich, Washington, Vann, Penn, Cross, Myers, Godbey, Martin, Baines, Carr, Callis, Gobbel

Third Row—Taylor, Futch, Ward, Nelson, Goodwin, Powell, Britton

Fourth Row—Lipscomb, Wesson, Tucker, Brown, Barrett, Adkins

## The Diversified Occupations Club



Left to Right, First Row—Harvell, Stovall, Goodrich, Howell, Griggs, Brett

Second Row—Slavin, Coburn, Mr. Koal, Butler, Barrett

Third Row—Sutton, Edwards, Poarch, Kirkpatrick

### OFFICERS

<i>President</i> .....	Russell Brett
<i>Vice-President</i> .....	William Stovall
<i>Secretary-Treasurer</i> .....	Nathan Harvell
<i>Sponsor</i> .....	Mr. Ralph Koal

The Diversified Occupations Program, which was established at Suffolk High in 1938 by Mr. George Koenig, head of the Industrial Arts Department, has been very favorably received by both employers and students alike since that time. This year's group was coached especially in the studying and the preparing for Army classification tests, since the majority of the class expect to be inducted into the Army by the end of the school year.

The Diversified Occupations Club, which is always composed of the Diversified Occupations class, has held several dances, and completed their activities by holding an employer-employee banquet at the end of May.



## The Home Economics Club

The students of home economics were granted a charter this year to form a new club under the sponsorship of Miss Estelle Whitehead.

In order to stimulate more interest in our school, to perform worthwhile tasks that will help to broaden the knowledge of its members, and to add new equipment to the home economics department, this organization has engaged in many activities. Garments for the Red Cross were cut out; successful banquets were given for the football teams and the Boy Scouts' Executive meeting; and a luncheon was held for a home economics meeting.

These girls deserve much credit for their willingness to work for the good of Suffolk High.

### OFFICERS

#### *President*

Jeanette Ballance

#### *Vice-President*

Frances Redd

#### *Secretary and Treasurer*

Vivian Goodrich

#### *Sponsor*

Miss Estelle Whitehead

Left to Right, First Row—Redd, Smith

Second Row—Taylor, Ballance, Miss Whithead, Baker

Third Row—Carr, Carter

Fourth Row—Jennette, Goodrich



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### OFFICERS

*President*  
Mary Lou Bagley

*Vice-President*  
Jeanne Sturgeon

*Secretary*  
Alice Hannah

*Treasurer*  
Betty Burchett

*Reporter*  
Jane Burchett

*Sponsor*  
Miss Virginia Brinkley

Left to Right, First Row—Lipscomb, Jaffe, McClenny, Grace, Maxey, Vann

Second Row—Barton, Nurney, Bell, Miss Brinkley, Rawls, Dixon, Andrews, Vaughan, Callis

Third Row—Jones, N. Rawls, Harrell, Burton, Turner, Hines

Fourth Row—Alberts, Lacy, Dail, Penn, Myers, Schein, Haynes, Barreitt, Grant, Hannah, Burchett, Sturgeon, Bagley

An outstanding contribution is made to the social and educational welfare of our ancient language students by the Latin Club. This band of "Modern Romans" actually make the dead language live by emphasizing its enjoyable side. Many interesting programs were given this year and members were often to be found singing in Latin and playing Roman games.

One of the annual projects of this organization is to stimulate an interest in Latin among students of Junior High School. For this purpose, a highly interesting and entertaining play, "A Day Without Latin," was presented before these lower classmen in January. All these and many other activities were under the capable direction of Miss Virginia Brinkley, teacher of Latin in Suffolk High School.

# The Aviation Science Club

## OFFICERS

<i>President</i> .....	John Woodward
<i>Secretary</i> .....	Elliott Spivey
<i>Treasurer</i> .....	Bruce Garrett
<i>Sponsors</i> .....	Mr. Wilbert Crocker, Mr. Ralph Koal

Intense interest in aviation in the school this year crystallized in the organization of the Aviation Science Club, chartered by the Science Clubs of America, a National organization with subsidiary clubs in most of the secondary schools in the country.

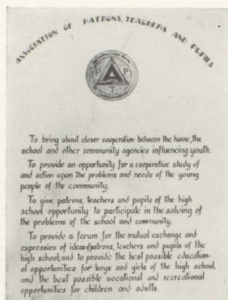
Membership was limited to students in preflight classes to supplement regular classroom work, and students in high school actively engaged in construction of solid model and flying model aircraft.

The club held two successful exhibits in a local department store, and contributed to the war effort by helping to complete a quota of fifty different types of solid model airplanes for the U. S. armed forces to be utilized for the training of civilian and military pilots in the recognition and range estimation of fighting planes of the United Nations and Axis nations.



Left to Right, First Row—Boyette, Spivey, Garrett, Harrell  
Second Row—Pulley, Godwin, Rawls, Parker, Woodward  
Third Row—Mr. Crocker, Mr. Koal

# The Association Of Patrons, Teachers and Pupils



## OFFICERS

<i>President</i> .....	Mr. W. P. Brown
<i>First Vice-President</i> .....	Miss Addie Rose Ellett
<i>Second Vice-President</i> .....	Helen Whitely
<i>Recording Secretary</i> .....	Miss Mamie Basler
<i>Corresponding Secretary</i> .....	Virginia McClenny
<i>Treasurer</i> .....	John Woodward
<i>Historian</i> .....	Miss Gladys Yates
<i>Parliamentarian</i> .....	Dr. Walter G. Gobbel

This organization shows the spirit of collective cooperation for the good of all that pervades through our school. In normal times the parents, teachers and students get together in regular monthly meetings to get acquainted and to discuss the many problems and questions arising from school life. But this year meetings were curtailed with everything else by essential war activities. In spite of this many interesting programs were conducted from time to time.

Early in the fall the members after a great deal of interesting discussion recommended that a Victory Corps be set up at Suffolk High. An earnest desire to help boys of draft age was expressed throughout the year, and the services of two Naval officers were secured to explain Naval programs to students and their parents. For those boys who left for the armed forces in June a banquet was sponsored by the A. P. T. P., this being a successful climax to a successful year.

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## The Football Squad



Left to Right, First Row—Brett, Woodward, Darden, Pruden, Nixon, Stevens, Foster, Picot, Hudnell, Underwood  
 Second Row—Saunders, Hobbs, Stovall, Sutton, Griggs, Brothers, Klein, Spivey, Birdsong, Pond, Taylor  
 Third Row—Manos, Eley, Bell, Godwin, Brown, Hanel, Spencer, Rawls, Womack, Gordon  
 Fourth Row—Coach Cockrell, Manager Carter, Brown, Assistant Coach White

### 1942 FOOTBALL HIGHLIGHTS

Coach "Bunny" Cockrell took over the Suffolk Red Raiders this year after a seven year reign of Cap'n Al Hawkins. Although the outlook was not very bright, they succeeded in achieving the District Class B title. The team moved to the half-state finals at Covington but were defeated by the Cougars, 26-0.

In eleven games the Raiders won four, lost four, and tied three. High scorers for the season were Nixon and Stevens, veteran co-captains. Nixon, who was converted from a tackle to a fullback, scored 56 points to lead Tide-water scoring; Stevens scored 37 points.

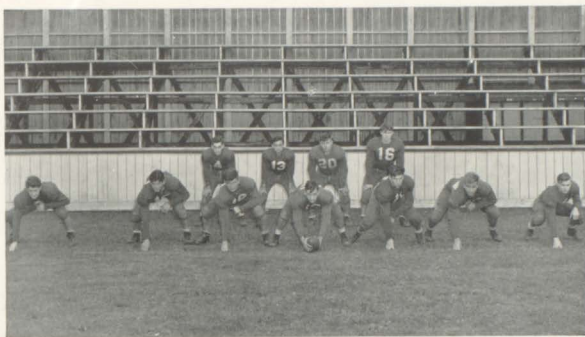


Co-Captains Nixon and Stevens

In the early games of the season Suffolk couldn't find a scoring punch. They lost to Maury 19-0, tied Oceana, and lost to Augusta Military Academy 12-0. Norview and Fredericksburg felt the sting of the Suffolk attack as the Raiders found themselves. Nixon, Pond, and Stevens scored the touchdowns.

Then came two scoreless ties with Holy Trinity and South Norfolk. The Raiders unleashed their power and defeated Chester and Cradock on successive week-ends.

## The "Eleven"



Left to Right, First Row—Brown, Darden, Pruden, Foster, Sutton, Woodward, Hudnell  
Second Row—Brett, Picot, Nixon, Co-Captain, Stevens, Co-Captain

The Raiders played their best game of the season against Hampton but lost 39-13. Picot completed eleven out of twenty-two passes. Nixon scored both touchdowns.

Ably helping with the coaching of this championship team was Assistant Coach Lewis White and managing the Raiders was Randolph Carter.

### SCHEDULES AND SCORES

Suffolk	0	.....	Maury	19
Suffolk	0	.....	Oceana	0
Suffolk	0	.....	A. M. A.	12
Suffolk	21	.....	Norview	0
Suffolk	21	.....	Fredericksburg	13
Suffolk	0	.....	Holy Trinity	0
Suffolk	0	.....	South Norfolk	0
Suffolk	27	.....	Chester	0
Suffolk	39	.....	Cradock	0
Suffolk	13	.....	Hampton	37
Suffolk	0	.....	Covington	26
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Totals	121			107



Coach "Bunny" Cockrell

## Boys' Basketball Team



Left to Right—Assistant Manager Cross, Taylor, Co-Captain Howell, Co-Captain Foster, Barrett, Brown, Underwood, Picot, Hanel, Collins, Coach Cockrell

### 1943 BASKETBALL HIGHLIGHTS

Despite the fact that the Red Raiders' Basketball Team did not win the District Class B Championship, the season was outstanding for the fighting spirit and excellent play which were responsible for the fourteen wins in twenty games.

The quintet came through with the biggest upset of a rather topsy-turvy season when they defeated Maury High School 38-36 after the Commodores had beaten the Raiders in Suffolk. Twice the locals defeated the strong 168 Chemical Division Team, both times by eleven points, 36-25 and 50-39. After losing twice to Cradock, the Peanuts overcame the championship Admirals 48-24 in the final game of the season. The Raiders defeated at least once each team they played except Granby.

High scoring honors for the season went to Jimmy Foster with a total of 276 points in nineteen games. Dewey Howell hit the meshes for 253 in twenty games. Julien Picot was also conspicuous in the scoring with 169. The total number of points made by the Raiders was 868 to their opponents' 657.

This spirited team was coached by "Bunny" Cockrell, captained by Dewey Howell and Jimmy Foster, and managed by Ralph Eley and Wilbur Cross.

## Girls' Basketball Team



Left to Right—Manager Whitley, B. Burchett, Bell, Hundley, Grant, Williams, Andrews, Bagley, Carr, Maxey, J. Burchett, Assistant Manager Godwin, Assistant Coach Bell  
In Front—Coach Pittman, Captain Pratt

### 1943 BASKETBALL HIGHLIGHTS

Once again the Girls' Basketball Team has done it—for the eighth consecutive year under the successful leadership of Coach Emily Pittman winners of the Class B District Championship. Only two games were lost—one of those to the All-Stars.

The locals easily won three games each from Cradock, Holy Trinity, and Norview. Windsor was defeated twice. At the very first of the season the Carrsville girls beat the Suffolk team by a narrow margin, but later in the season they, too, were conquered by a score of 38-23.

The total number of points made by the Suffolk girls was 390 to their opponents' 289. A junior, Betty Burchett, was high scorer for the season with 153 points to her credit. In the first game with Norview she ran up a total of 28 points for the season's high scorer per game. Those also in competition were Mary Frances Maxey, Jean Bell and Barbara Grant with 81, 65, and 60 respectively. Outstanding guarding was shown by Betty Pratt, Rebecca Williams, and Emma Carr.

Captained by Betty Pratt and managed by Helen Whitley with the assistance of Martha Godwin, this successful team with its remarkable playing and clean sportsmanship is really a credit to Suffolk High School.

## Baseball Team



Left to Right, First Row—Kozak, Underwood, Howell, Picot, Richards  
Second Row—Co-Manager Brown, Hanel, Parr, Coach White, Manos, Birdsong, Miles, and  
Co-Manager Hudnell

### 1943 BASEBALL HIGHLIGHTS

The outlook for the 1943 baseball season was one of the brightest in recent years, even with the many problems that confronted it. The five lettermen returning from the 1942 squad formed the nucleus for the new club. Three regular infielders, Dewey Howell, captain, Julien Picot, and Norman Kozak returned. Other regulars that were back were Charles Thedieck, catcher, and Herbert Underwood, outfielder.

Newcomers who made the prospects even brighter were Jimmy Foster, pitcher and outfielder, and Tommy Birdsong, an infielder. Bascom Carver and Robert Parr also proved very helpful. Perry Hudnell and Delmar Brown were co-managers.

The Raiders again entered the Tidewater Athletic League which was approximately a six club circuit containing the four old members—Holy Trinity, Maury, Granby, and Suffolk, and two new ones—Cradock and Norview.

Enthusiastic support on the part of the students of Suffolk High, intense interest and constant practice on the part of the players, and the excellent coaching on the part of Coach Lewis White made 1943 baseball outstanding on the Spring Sports Program at Suffolk.



## Cheerleaders



Left to Right, First Row—Grant, Collins, Whitley  
Second Row—Felton, McBride, Murden, Howerton

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These are just examples of the peppy yells that more than once spurred the scrapping teams of Suffolk on to greater victory. When things looked grave, the leaders roused the boosters into a winning cheer, and again things looked bright. Even in the most crucial moments it seemed that the Raiders felt the strength behind them. Many a time in the fall was Peanut Park the scene of glorious pep rallies and exciting games.

This year the squad was composed of five new members and two veteran lettermen—Helen Whitley and William Johnson. The new members included Barbara Grant, Ravis McBride, Imogene Murden, George Howerton, Jay Wood Collins, and Jerome Felton. This group, attired in their traditional red, white, and blue, was what kept the good old school spirit up.

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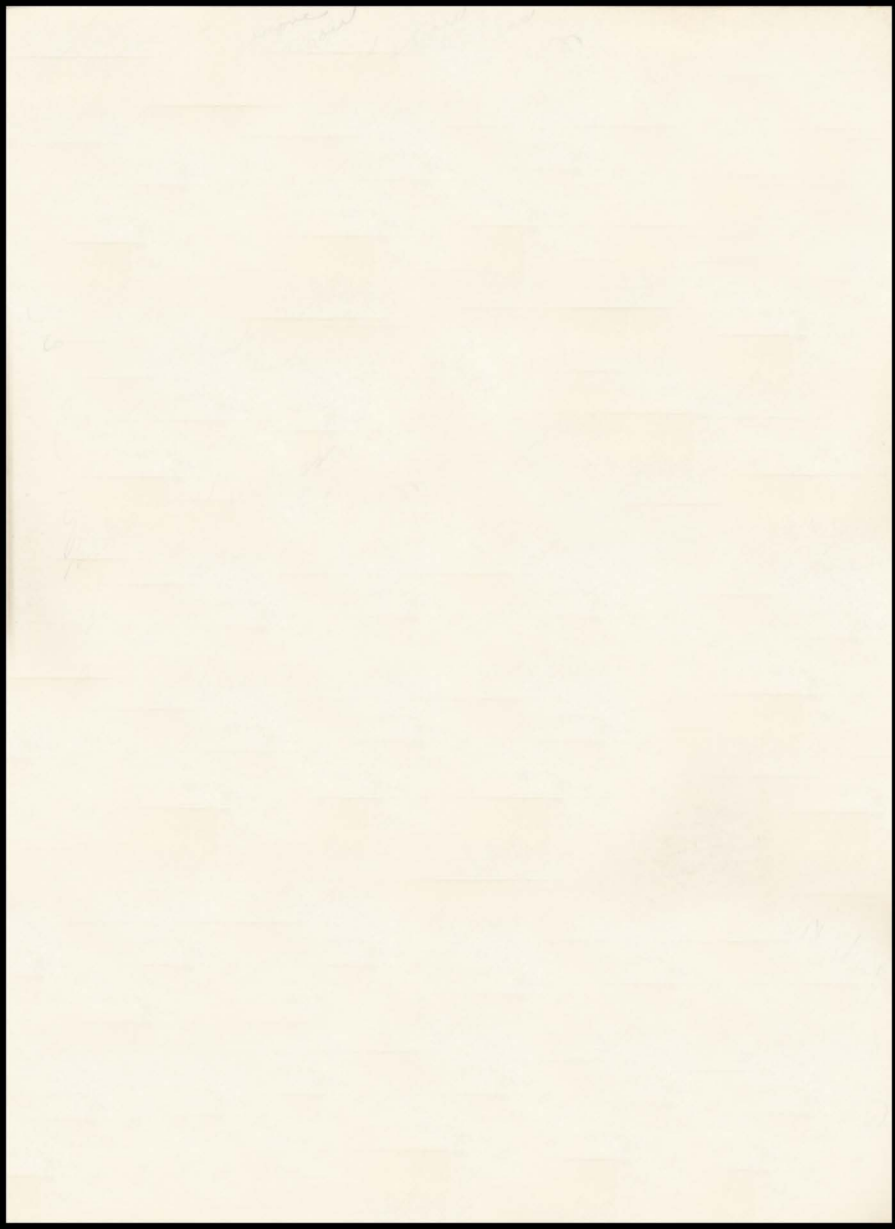
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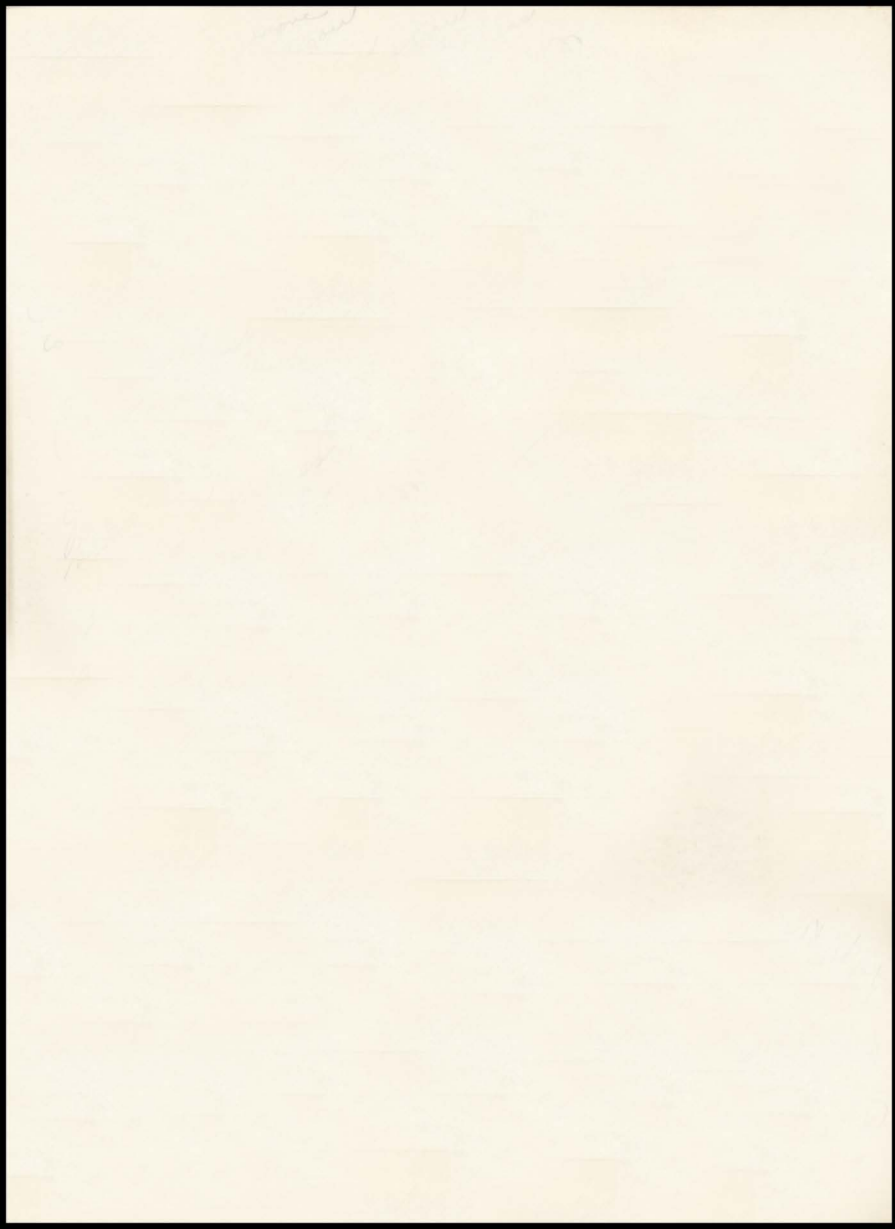
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